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Quinn Bowling
Sunshine Media Group, LLC
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Re: Sunshine Media Group, LLC (SMG)
WNKW(AM), Neon, KY
Facility Identification Number: 37154
Special Temporary Authority (STA)
BESTA-20200529AAO

Dear Mr. Bowling:

This is in reference to the request filed on May 29, 2020. SMG requests a further extension of the STA originally granted on July 24, 2015, as last modified on September 19, 2018, to continue operating from an alternate site to allow time to file the required FCC Form 301 application (due to loss of the licensed site in 2016).¹ In support of the request, SMG plans to file the application to use an existing 150 tower formerly used by the local fire department.

Requests for extension of STA will be granted only where the licensee can show that one or more of the following criteria have been met:

- Restoration of licensed facilities is complete and testing is underway;
- Substantial progress has been made during the most recent STA period toward restoration of licensed operation; or
- No progress has been made during the most recent STA period for reasons clearly beyond the licensee's control, and the licensee has taken all possible steps to expeditiously resolve the problem.

Accordingly, the request for extension of the STA is hereby GRANTED, and SMG may continue to operate with the following facilities:

¹ WNKW(AM) is licensed for daytime-only ND operation on 1480 kHz with 5 kW.

Geographic coordinates	37° 11' 08" N, 82° 43' 02" W (NAD 1927)
Frequency	1480 KHz
Hours of operation	Daytime
Operating power	1 kW
Antenna type	61 meters of #8 copper wire strung 20 feet above ground

SMG must reduce power or cease operation if complaints of interference are received, and use whatever means are necessary to protect workers and the public from exposure to radio frequency radiation in excess of the Commission's exposure guidelines. *See* 47 CFR § 1.1310. SMG must submit an e-mail to my attention to note the date the application was filed.

This authority expires on **December 1, 2020**.

Sincerely,



Joseph Szczesny, Engineer
Audio Division
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cc: Larry Perry, Esq. (via email only)